

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



**FISCAL NOTE**

**SB 284**

February 14, 2011

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Requires 75 percent vote in favor of retention to retain appellate judges in a retention election.

**ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

**NOT SIGNIFICANT**

Assumptions:

- Increasing the necessary retention votes from a majority to 75 percent and requiring the vote of more than 25 percent of the voters to replace the incumbent will not result in the need for additional elections and will not have a fiscal impact on state government.
- Section three of the proposed bill deletes Tenn. Code Ann. § 17-4-116(d) rather than subsection (c). This is a typographical error.

**CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "James W. White".

James W. White, Executive Director

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